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Attorney Docket No. CIPHBIO-12

Applicant : Scot A. Weinberger  
Application No. : 10/804,723 Confirmation No. : 8261  
Filed : March 19, 2004  
For : OFF-RESONANCE MID-IR LASER DESORPTION IONIZATION  
Group Art Unit : 2881  
Examiner : Bernard E. Souw

Mail Stop Amendment  
Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith: ☐ a Preliminary Amendment;  
☒ a Response to Examiner's Action; ☐ a Supplemental Amendment;  
☐ a substitute Specification; ☐ a Declaration; ☐ a Supplemental Declaration; ☐ a  
Power of Attorney; ☐ an Associate Power of Attorney; ☐ formal drawings; to be  
filed in the above-identified patent application.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS AND/OR PAGES

☒ A fee for additional claims or pages is not required.

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The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL
TOTAL CLAIMS	- 20 *	=	x	\$25 =	\$ .00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	- 3 **	=	0	x \$100 =	\$ .00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				+ \$180 =	\$0.00
* If less than 20, insert 20.				TOTAL	\$0.00
** If less than 3, insert 3.					

- ☐ As a result of the amendment submitted herewith, this application now includes excess pages beyond those previously paid for. The number of additional groups of 50 excess pages resulting from this amendment is \_\_\_\_\_ x \$125 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ 0.00 in payment of the fee for additional claims and/or pages is transmitted herewith.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.
- ☐ Please charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 06-1075 in payment of the fee for additional claims. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.

EXTENSION FEE

- ☒ The following extension fee is applicable to the Response filed herewith:  
☒ \$60.00 extension fee for response within first month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☐ \$225.00 extension fee for response within second month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☐ \$510.00 extension fee for response within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☐ \$795.00 extension fee for response within fourth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☐ \$1,080.00 extension fee for response within fifth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).
- ☒ A check in the amount of ☒ \$60.00 ☐ \$225.00 ☐ \$510.00 ☐ \$795.00 ☐ \$1,080.00 in payment of the extension fee is transmitted herewith.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional extension fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.
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I hereby certify that this paper/fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Honorable Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, ATTN: Mail Stop Amendment.

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Enclosures: Transmittal Letter (in duplicate)  
Response to Office Action dated December 17, 2004  
Check for \$60.00 in Payment of 1 month extension fee  
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

In response to the December 17, 2004 Office Action, applicant submits the following amendments and response.

Applicant has petitioned currently herewith under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a one (1) month extension of time and paid the fee set forth at 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1), extending time to respond to April 17, 2005 (a Sunday, making the response timely if filed on Monday, April 18, 2005).

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**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 3.

**Remarks** begin on page 10.